

Rosa's Radiant Body Parts Challenge

Learning objective: To identify and spell key French vocabulary for parts of the body and use them within simple descriptive sentences.

Join Rosa the parrot as she practices her French! Use the word bank to help you complete the challenges. Remember to check your spellings carefully.

Word bank: la tête (head) · les yeux (eyes) · le nez (nose) · la bouche (mouth) · les oreilles (ears) · le bras (arm) · la main (hand) · la jambe (leg) · le pied (foot)

1. Rosa is describing her appearance. Translate these phrases into English: 'J'ai deux yeux' and 'J'ai une tête'. (2 marks)

2. If Rosa says 'J'ai mal à la main' (My hand hurts), which part of her body is she holding? Explain why it is important to know body parts when visiting a doctor in a French-speaking country. (3 marks)

3. Label the following French body parts in the correct order from top to bottom: le pied, la tête, la jambe. (3 marks)

4. Compare and contrast the French words 'le bras' and 'la main'. How does the gender of the noun (le vs la) change how we might describe them using adjectives? (3 marks)

5. Justify your answer: If you were drawing a monster, would you rather give it 'trois pieds' or 'trois mains'? Describe your monster in French using the vocabulary provided. (4 marks)

Draw: Draw a creative 'Rosa-Robot' and label at least five of its body parts using the correct French vocabulary from the word bank.



Extension challenge: What might happen if you mixed up the masculine and feminine articles (le/la) when speaking French? Write a short paragraph explaining why precision is vital when learning a new language, and create your own 'Body Part' rhyme or poem in French to help others remember the vocabulary.